

You Can Help...

**DO NOT
MOVE
FIREWOOD**



- Emerald Ash Borer can easily be transported in ash logs.
- Purchase firewood locally (within county) from a known source.
- Be sure to use all the firewood in the cold months so that no hidden EAB larvae or adults can survive on logs left through the spring.



There are both state and federal quarantines in place that restrict the movement of ash logs, branches or other material in certain areas. The entire state of Illinois is under a federal quarantine, which restricts the movement of regulated articles across the state line. Additionally, an internal state quarantine is in effect for all or parts of 21 counties in north-eastern Illinois. If you give

or sell any ash stock or other hardwood originating from within the internal state quarantined area, inform the person receiving the wood of that fact and the restrictions on wood movement.

- Check www.IllinoisEAB.com for more detailed information.
- Monitor the health of ash trees. Look for dead and dying branches at the top of the tree's crown and other EAB signs and symptoms.

If You Think You Have Emerald Ash Borer:

If you suspect your tree has EAB, please take some digital photos of the tree and close-ups of the symptoms it is expressing and email those with contact info to: agr.eab@illinois.gov.

For assistance in identifying suspect insects and symptoms:

- o Contact your city or village forester, arborist or public works official for assistance
- o In the City of Chicago, contact 312-74BEE TL (312-742-3385)
- o Contact the Illinois Department of Agriculture at 800/641-3934 or visit www.IllinoisEAB.com
- o Contact your local University of Illinois Extension office by visiting <http://web.extension.uiuc.edu/state/index.html> or by calling 217-333-5900
- o Visit www.emeraldashborer.info or <http://na.fs.fed.us/fhp/eab/>
- o Contact The Morton Arboretum Plant Clinic at 630-719-2424 or www.mortonarb.org/
- o Contact a certified arborist. To find one in your area, visit <http://www.illinoisarborist.org>
- o Call the national EAB hotline at 866-EAB-4512.



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